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Re: Application 10/017,169

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed is a substitute specification in the application of Robert O. Judkins for "Optical Fiber Termination Collimator and Process of Manufacture".

Please substitute this specification for the original to correct the informality outlined in your correspondence of January 11, 2002.

Sincerely,

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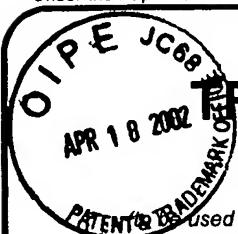
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